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## CERTIFICATE OF THE MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR In Re.

THE BANK OF HAWAII, LIMITED.  
I, JAMES A. KING, Minister of the Interior of the Republic of Hawaii, do hereby CERTIFY that in accordance with the requirements of Section 12, Chapter XXIII, of the Session Laws of 1884, the same being an "Act to provide for the Incorporation of Banking Companies," I have examined into the condition of the "BANK OF HAWAII, LIMITED," a corporation formed under said act and located in the City of Honolulu, and I am satisfied that said corporation has fully complied with the provisions required by said Act, to be complied with before commencing the business of banking, and the said Corporation, the "Bank of Hawaii Limited," is hereby authorized to commence business.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto placed my hand and Official Seal, this 23rd day of December, A. D. 1897.

(Signed) J. A. KING,  
Minister of the Interior.

## THE BANK OF HAWAII, LIMITED.

At a meeting of the Incorporators of the Bank of Hawaii, Limited, held in Honolulu, December 17, 1897, it was voted to accept the Charter granted by the Minister of the Interior.

The following officers have been elected to serve for the first year:  
President, P. C. Jones.  
Vice President, J. B. Atherton.  
Cashier, Edwin A. Jones.  
Secretary, C. H. Cooke.

All of whom are ex-officio directors.

Directors—H. Waterhouse, T. May, C. Bosse, F. W. Macfarlane, E. D. Tenney.

Auditor, George R. Carter.

C. H. COOKE,  
Secretary.

Honolulu, December 24, 1897.

### NOTICE.

Hawaiian Safe Deposit and Investment Company.

Notice is hereby given that Mr. George R. Carter and Mr. Clarence H. Cooke have been admitted as partners in our firm from January 1, 1898.

Mr. George R. Carter will act as Manager of the business.  
The office for the present will be in the office of Mr. C. M. Cooke, in the rear of the Bank of Hawaii.

P. C. JONES,  
EDWIN A. JONES,  
Honolulu, H. I., Dec. 31, 1897.

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## TODAY'S MILITARY REVIEW WAS SEEN BY HUNDREDS AT MAKIKI PARK.

Review by Acting President Cooper and Cabinet Ministers—A Good Showing Made by Volunteers.

The First Regiment was under arms for three hours this morning. The parade and review on the Makiki baseball grounds were witnessed by a grandstand crowded with people. Many carriages occupied positions of vantage.

The regiment assembled at the Drill Shed at 8:30 o'clock and within a few moments afterward was on the march out Beretania street to Makiki park. Lieut. Col. McLeod was in command. Maj. Jones headed the First Battalion and Maj. McCarthy was in command of the Second. All the Captains were present with the exception of Capt. E. O. White of Company B. First Lieut. T. H. Petrie assumed command of the company.

Arriving at Makiki park the colonel commanding formed the regiment for inspection. This feature of the program was intensely interesting to the spectators. Maj. G. C. Potter of the President's staff, was chief inspector. He was assisted by Maj. C. B. Cooper, regimental surgeon; Capt. J. W. Pratt, general staff; Capt. A. Gartenberg, regimental ordnance officer; Capt. W. G. Ashley, regimental quartermaster; Capt. John John Schaefer, regimental adjutant; Lieut. L. T. Kenake, adjutant First Battalion; Lieut. Ed Towse, adjutant Second Battalion.

The inspectors found the regiment in "apple pie" order.

Acting President Henry E. Cooper, accompanied by Col. John H. Soper, of the President's staff, arrived at Makiki park at 10:20 o'clock. They were met at the entrance to the inner grounds by Lieut. Col. McLeod, Maj. Jones, Maj. McCarthy, Maj. Cooper, Capt. Pratt, Capt. Ashley and Capt. Gartenberg. Acting President Cooper, accompanied by these officers, made a hasty inspection of the regiment passing down in front of the column and then up the rear.

This done, the acting President was escorted to the reviewing stand on the mauka side of the grounds where he was joined by Minister of the Interior J. A. King and Attorney General William O. Smith. The regiment then made a circle of the park passing the reviewing stand and saluting the colors, which had been unfurled to the breeze, where the acting President and Ministers were standing.

There was a good turn-out of volunteers. A number were kept away for business reasons.

### WILLIAMS, DIMOND & Co.

Williams, Dimond & Co. write to say that they have opened a branch house in New York City at 106 Wall street. O. T. Sewall, who was here a few months ago, will have personal supervision of the new branch, and E. D. Douglas, late of Smith & Schipper of New York, holds a power of attorney for the transaction of the New York business. The branch firm opened up January 1, 1898.

### MAY BE MILLER'S WATCH.

The Moana brought a letter to J. S. Dodd from the claim agent of the Denver and Rio Grande asking for the number of Harry Miller's watch. The railroad people are using every endeavor, apparently, to identify Miller's effects.

### THE CAT AND THE CHERUB.

Ruth Benson, daughter of Major Benson, formerly of the firm of Benson & Smith of this city, and who adopted the stage as a profession some three or four years ago, appeared in London in the Chinese play of the "Cat and the Cherub," taking the leading part. The incident of producing this play is historical, as two companies raced across the Atlantic to present somewhat similar plays. The company to which Miss Benson was attached won the honors. The play was produced at the Lyric theater. Miss Benson's portrait figures in "Sketch."

When you cannot sleep for coughing take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It always gives prompt relief. It is most excellent for colds, too, as it aids expectoration, relieves the lungs and prevents any tendency toward pneumonia. For sale by all druggists and dealers. Benson, Smith & Co., wholesale agents for the Hawaiian Islands.

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## STRONG FOR ANNEXATION THE TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY IS NOW CLAIMED.

The Prospect of the Senate Ratifying the Treaty Seems Good—Opposition Will Make a Hard Fight.

WASHINGTON, January 5.—"I desire to give notice that on Monday next I shall suggest an executive session for the purpose of calling up for consideration of the Hawaiian annexation treaty. I shall ask that an executive session be held each day until the matter is disposed of finally."

The session of the Senate was still young when Davis of Minnesota, the chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations formally opened the battle for annexation when he gave the above notice.

Despite the fact that the immigration bill had been looked upon as the measure with the right of way, there was no effort made by its friends to claim recognition for it. Its supporters are principally those who favor the treaty, and there was no desire to delay annexation because of the laying aside of the Lodge bill. The opponents of annexation were ready for battle, and had no objection to making it now as well as later.

The fight which was opened thus promises to be long and hard. On the part of those favoring annexation there will be few speeches. Davis, probably, will open the discussion. Morgan will talk of what he saw while in the Islands, and it is now expected that Teller, Gorman, and perhaps one, at least, of the new senators will make speeches for the treaty. The opposition will do heavy work. It is hard to find more lusty fighters than White, Jones of Arkansas, Vest and Gray. They will be aided by Mills, Caffery, McEnery, and perhaps Daniel.

Senator Jones of Arkansas is quoted as saying that the steering committee will not make this a party question, and several Democratic votes are expected. This poll gives the treaty one more vote than enough to win. Republicans—Aldrich, Allison, Baker, Burrows, Carter, Chandler, Clark, Cullom, Davis, Deboe, Elkins, Fairbanks, Foraker, Frye, Gallinger, Gear, Hale, Hanna, Hansbrough, Hawley, Hoar, Lodge, Mason, McBride, McMillan, Morrill, Nelson, Penrose, Perkins, Platt of Connecticut, Platt of New York, Pritchard, Proctor, Quay, Sewell, Shoup, Spooner, Thurston, Warren, Wellington, Wetmore, Wilson, Wolcott.

Silver—Cannon, Jones of Nevada, Mantle, Stewart, Teller, Pettigrew.

Populists—Heitfeld, Kyle, Turner, Butler, Harris.

Democrats—Gorman, Morgan, Pettigrew, Murphy, Money, Turpie, Rawlins, Roach.

Still thinking about it—Chilton, Bacon, Kenney, Mitchell, Smith, Tillman.

Opposed—Populist, Allen; Democrats, all not here named.

While the list gives Hoar, Thurston and Morrill from former declarations they are claimed by the opposition. Thurston because of sugar and Hoar and Morrill to the annexation side, that they did not believe in taking in non-contiguous territory. In view of recent interviews with Senator Perkins he is claimed by the opposition, but his friends do not believe he has changed his position so completely.

There is no doubt that the situation in China is largely responsible for the improved prospect of the treaty, as many senators hold the opinion that for the United States to hesitate in this matter at the present time would be to manifest a serious weakness.

### THURSTON'S VIEW.

WASHINGTON, January 7.—"When the Hawaiian treaty comes up for consideration next week," said Annexation Commissioner Thurston, "our friends will lay great stress upon the situation in China and the East as a reason for ratifying the treaty. We had expected a strenuous opposition from the Southern Democrats, and particularly those who represent sugar producing states. It transpires however that some of the very men we had figured among our strongest opponents from this section have experienced a change of opinion, and in all probability will be recorded in favor of ratifying the treaty now before the Senate."

"Things look more promising now than they did before the holiday season, and we are encouraged to believe that the necessary two-thirds majority will be recorded when the final vote is reached."

Hawaiian annexationists now claim sixty-one votes for the treaty, divided as follows: Republicans, 43; Populists, 5; Silverites, 5; Democrats, 8.

### ICE HOUSE GOODS.

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## PRISON BONDS STRUCK OFF

FOUR INMATES OF DREAD OAHU RELEASED.

Reformed Law Breakers Given a New Lease on Life—T. B. Walker Promises to Do Better.

The anniversary of Hawaii's independence was fittingly observed at Oahu prison this morning by the release and restoration to civil rights of four inmates of that dreaded institution. T. B. Walker, W. B. Anderson, David Ella and Naone were the men who were given a new lease of life. Through their conduct during their imprisonment they have shown a proper spirit of repentance and they have been adjudged by those in authority as worthy again to mingle with the society of their fellow men, from which they were banished for various crimes.

The formal reading of the pardons took place at 8:30 o'clock this morning, in the presence of all the prisoners assembled in the prison court yard beneath the shade of the famous banyan tree. Attorney General Smith performed the ceremony addressing the prisoners in both English and native. Prison Directors Lowrey and Magoon were there with Warden Low and Marshal Brown.

Attorney General Smith, in addressing the prisoners said that in exercising the pardoning power, the Council of State had been guided to a large extent by the recommendations of the marshal, warden, prison directors and jailors. In almost every instance pardons had been based on the individual conduct of the prisoners. The men pardoned had shown cheerful obedience to the prison rules and accepted their punishment in the proper spirit. It was not a pleasant duty to send men to prison, but it was a pleasure to set them free. They were sent to prison, not for punishment, but to protect society, and as soon as they proved themselves worthy to be trusted, executive clemency could be exercised.

The pardoned men were then called up, one at a time, and the pardons read. The native boys, David Ella and Naone did not conceal their joy. Captain Anderson of smuggling fame looked surly and said nothing. The only man who gave expression to his feelings was T. B. Walker. With unsteady voice he thanked the Attorney General and promised in the future to lead a better life and keep out of all trouble.

After the pardons had been read Prison Directors Lowrey and Magoon addressed the prisoners, the latter in native, promising the restoration of communications to those who had been set back on account of bad conduct, if further conduct was up to a high standard.

### CITY ITEMS.

The rehearsals of the Kilohana theatrical play begin this week.

President Dole is probably well on his way to Washington overland by this time.

A collision of the carriages driven by Mrs. L. F. Alvarez and Road Supervisor Cummings took place at Makiki Island yesterday afternoon during the band concert. No one was injured. The vehicles were saved from wreckage by the timely assistance of Police Captain Spillner.

### ONE BOTTLE COMES.

Interior Department Ascertaining the Ocean Currents.

One of the twelve sealed bottles set adrift outside the harbor in Honolulu has floated into shore. It was found on the beach at Keolu and immediately taken to the Interior office.

On Wednesday last eight sealed bottles were set adrift between Kailua and the entrance of the harbor and four bottles were dropped between the sea wall east of the entrance of the harbor and abreast of Ward's old plantation, in about two fathoms of water. These bottles were of white glass and each contained an inscription of the point where it was allowed to drift.

Minister King says that the bottles were set adrift for the purpose of ascertaining the ocean currents, so that the department will know where the city's sewerage will be carried under the new Hering system.

### DR. EVANS' MILLIONS.

PARIS, January 8.—The Figaro today says the late Dr. Thomas Evans left an insignificant sum to his direct heirs and bequeathed 20,000,000 francs to the city of Philadelphia, on condition a museum be erected there to bear his name, and that a statue be erected in a public square to cost not less than 1,000,000 and not more than 2,000,000 francs. Should the city of Philadelphia refuse the bequest, the fortune is to be divided equally between the heirs of Dr. Evans.

### SCHUMAN'S WAREHOUSES.

Call at Schuman's warehouses, No. 320 and 322, Fort street, next door above the Club stables, and inspect his large stock of wagons and harness. By reason of favorable connections with eastern factories he is able to sell and import to order at low prices. Go and select what you want or have it imported to order.

## ADMIRAL BELKNAP TALKS

HE ADVOCATES STRONGLY THE ANNEXATION CAUSE.

The Annexation Movement Is Inspiring Stirring Speeches From All the Statesmen Who Look to the Future.

Rear Admiral Belknap in a speech before the Boat and Ship club of Boston, said:

"I have been an annexationist ever since I first saw the Islands in 1874. Unless all signs fails the Pacific will become within a generation a field of enterprise and activity which will rival if not surpass anything the Atlantic has ever seen."

"Honolulu from its happy situation will become the great port of call of the ships of many nations. At no distant day a cable will connect Honolulu with San Francisco. The nation that holds such a point of vantage will be a great gainer financially, and its commercial importance to our people, if they have the good sense to take what is offered them, will be incalculable."

"The interests of the United States in the Islands are indeed paramount to those of any other country, all nations recognize this fact and are willing to buy to it, if we do not short-sightedly reject their nod. What the Islanders are today is due to the reciprocity between them and our country."

"The question is where sovereignty of the group is to go when native control is impossible."

"The idea of the neutralization of the Islands is, in my judgment, not only absurd, but mischievous. It would be a continual breeder of international trouble."

"The Island republic has been established. We have recognized its validity by receiving its minister at Washington and by sending our minister to Honolulu. The republic of Hawaii offers itself to our sovereignty and there is no reason why we should reject it."

"The admiral further pointed out how easily the Cramps could lessen the time between the United States and Hawaii to four and one-half days, and he ridiculed the idea of warships coming at sea as an argument minimizing the strategic value of the Island ports."

He termed the Hawaiian anti-annexation petition to Congress the last card in the hands of the obstructionists, and pointed out that the Massachusetts Reform club, which opposes annexation, also condemned Mr. Cleveland's robust and vigorous Venezuelan message.

He said in closing: "Under the terms of international law, all States are said to stand on an equality of right, but ever and always might is the real factor. While the European powers are cutting up China, let us see to it that their land hunger does not extend to Hawaii."

### TWENTY THOUSAND DOLLARS.

VANCOUVER, B. C., January 6.—J. A. McRae of this city has just received a letter from his brother, Archie McRae, at Dawson City, in which he says that he refused \$1500 for 200 pounds of supplies. Flour will probably be scarce before spring, but fresh meat is plentiful at \$1 a pound. He reports that claims worth working are selling for \$5000 for twenty square feet. In one day three men shoveled into the sluice boxes of a claim on Bonanza creek \$20,000.

### WILL LEAVE ON THE COPTIC.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracey C. Drake, prominent society people of Chicago, who are returning home from a wedding trip to Japan, will leave by the Coptic tomorrow. Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Banks of Philadelphia and Miss Etta Birdsall of California will also take passage on the same boat.

### KAULIKE BARGAIN COUNTERS.

Positively a great reduction on all sales for the next two weeks, commencing Saturday, January 15th. The present stock must go. A splendid lot of goods which arrived too late for the holiday trade, to be sold below cost.

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